



## New Goods.

JOSEPH HARROD,

HAS added to his former stock, a variety of Fashionable & Seasonable Goods,

CONSISTING OF

Superfine and common Broadcloths and Calfskins; Hunters Cloths; Flannels; Baizes; Swast down Vestings; Superior black and coloured Levantine; black Sinchaws; black & coloured Florance Lustrings and Canton Satinets; ladies' fancy and silk Handkerchiefs; black and white Italian Crapes; English Gingham; Calicoes; Furniture; Dimities; gentlemen and ladies' silk beaver and kid Gloves; gentlemen and ladies' black & white silk Hosiery; cotton and worsted ditto; 1 case 4 4 and 7-8 Irish Linens, Thompson's bleached; 1 bale 4-4 Water Loom shirtings; Factory Gingham and Stripes; Brown Linens; India Cotton; black silk Handkerchiefs; Bag and Bandanna Handkerchiefs; silk Veils; a variety of colours; Calicoes; chintz and silk Shawls; a variety of an assortment of ribbons—Cotton Balls—Tapes—Silk—Twist &c. &c.

The above will be sold at reduced prices for Cash only.

March 3.

## Seasonable Goods.

ELIAS KELSEY,

No. 1, MIDDLE STREET,

HAS received and offers for sale a handsome assortment of

## FRESH PIECE GOODS,

—AMONG WHICH ARE—

Blue, black, green, olive, brown and mixed Broadcloths. Do. CASSIMERES, fine and double milled. Sup. fine undressed Prints. Fine and common Calicoes. Superior and low priced Furniture. Cotton and linen Cambric. British and steam loom Shirtings. 7-8 and 4-4 Irish Linens. 3-4, 4-4 & 6-4 Gingham. Black and coloured Cambrics. Black silk Handkerchief. Flag Bandanna and fancy silk do. Plain and figured velvet Bindings. Cotton Laces. Blue and yellow Nankins. Quality & shoe Bindings. Cambric Pocket Hosiery. Patent and cotton Flag ditto. Levantines. Black Sinchaws. Do. Sarinets. Plain do. Double and single Florance.

ALSO—on hand a large assortment of

## AMERICAN GOODS,

—CONSISTING OF—

White and blue Warp Yarn, white and coloured threads, do. do. stocking Yarns, do. do. cotton alls, bleached and unbleached shirtings, do. do. sheetings. Beddings, blue Flannels. Stripes and Checks. Gingham—Chambrays. Satinets, Priest Cloths, &c. &c.

All of which will be sold for Cash

## Maine Charitable Mechanic Association.

THE semi annual meeting of the Association will be held at Col. Barham's Hall, on Tuesday evening, 7th April next at 7 o'clock. The members are requested to give punctual attendance as business of importance will come before them. By direction of the President  
March 17 ELIAZAR WYER Sec'y

## James Rider's Will.

NOTICE is hereby given to the heirs and creditors of the estate of JAMES RIDER, late of Northwarrmouth in the county of Cumberland deceased, and all others concerned—that Levi Marston has exhibited to me the subscriber Judge of the Court of Probate, within and for said county, an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the same will be considered at a Probate Court to be held at the Probate Office in Portland in said County on the fourth Wednesday of April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where they may be present and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed as the last will and testament of said deceased.

Given under my hand at Portland, this eleventh day of March in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighteen.

SAM FREEMAN.

## Solomon Haskell's Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given to the heirs and creditors of the estate of SOLOMON HASKELL, late of Westbrook in the county of Cumberland, yeoman, deceased, and all others concerned—that Nathaniel Haskell, has exhibited to me the subscriber Judge of the Court of Probate, within and for said county, his first account of administration of said estate; and that the same will be considered at a Probate Court to be held at the Probate office in Portland in said County, on the second Wednesday of April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where they may be present and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

Given under my hand at Portland this eleventh day of March in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighteenth.

SAM FREEMAN.

EDWARD HOWE,

No. 5 Merchants' Row, Middle Street

—HAS FOR SALE—

BEST Nankin Crapes—pieces black silk Handkerchiefs—A general assortment of Broadcloths—Calfskins—Peltie Cloths and Flannels—figured Rattines and Salisbury Flannel—Table Cloths—tartan plaid Bombazet—Hearth Rugs—Rope Bankets—Satinets—Bennets Cord—red and green Bookings—Worsted Welcoats and Drawers—mens fine worsted and lambs wool Hosiery—Ladies' worsted and silk do—Chintz and Imitation shawls—coloured silk and Bandanna Handkerchiefs—plaid and figured Silks—Persian Cambric and Calicoe Prints—Furniture Calicoe—Scotch Gingham—English do—Linen Cambricks—do Hdkks—4-4 Irish Linens—India Cottons—Dimities—White Jeans—Cotton Checks and stripes—unbleached cotton sheetings—steam loom Cottons—Cotton Sewings—afforded colors—black figured real Lace—Lace Mullins—figured Leno do—plain Book do and Cambric Mullins—Sewing Silks and Twist—Ruffs and American Dispers—Ruffs—Sheetings—On nankin—Binnaps Dowels and Graft—Cotton Damask—Nankins—An assortment of Ribbons—Tapes and Bobbins—quality shoe Binding—Silk and Cotton Ferts—Silk Braid—Table Mats—Pearl and Linen shirt Buttons—Bundle and round Pins—Maltese Gilt and silk Buttons—silver eyed Needles—Hook and Eyes &c &c (if) Dec 30

## English Goods.

Josiah Munroe,

No. 8 UNION ROW, MIDDLE ST,

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

BOMBASTETS—elegant changeable and plain Pettie Silks—Synchaws and Sarinets—steam loom Shirting and sheeting—black and colored Twist Buttons—Ladies' fancy silk Hdkks—Flagg Bandanna and black silk do—Copperplate—Maltese Buttons—Guaranty Frock—worsted and silk Hosiery—Ribbons—Portofio Shell Combs—Long Lawn—silk Braids—velvet Ribbons—British Shirting—cotton, silk and linen Flannels—plain and figured book and Leno Mullin—Broadcloths—Calfskins—Satinets—Rattines and Flannels—6-4 silk lace marking Canvass—Shawls—Vestings—ingham—Cambric—Gloves—Thread &c &c. All of which will be sold at the lowest cash prices.

Feb 3

## ELEAZAR WYER,

INFORMS his friends and the public, that he continues to carry on his business as usual, at his former stand in Exchange Street, where he has for sale a general assortment of

Gold, Silver and Plated Ware, Jewellery, Military Goods, Looking Glasses, &c.

and hopes by a strict attention to business, to receive a share of public patronage

March 3

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## JOSEPH GOULD, JUN.

HAS for sale, at the head of Green Street, in West Market Row, a complete assortment of

West-India Goods and Groceries; WINES, IRON, NAILS, GLASS & PUTTY.

Also—The first quality of Thomaston LIME.

Horses and Carriages, To Let—Stabling for Horses, as usual.

Also—On hand, a large assortment of FEATHERS, which he will sell by wholesale or retail

—Beds filled on hand, will be sold at the lowest price for Cash or Lumber, or Country Produce

December 16

## Excellent Stand for Business.

FOR sale in Wayoe, one acre of LAND, with a two story House, two story Store, Barn &c. —For particulars enquire of

Nathaniel & Luther Dana.

Portland, Dec. 23, 1817

## Just received and for sale at the PORTLAND BOOKSTORE, By ISAIAH THOMAS, JUN.

Arcanum Tincture. The Tinctura, purpureo folio aspero, of Dr. Withering, or the consumptive patient's infallible restorative.

THE inventor of this efficacious and invaluable composition, is fully sensible under what disadvantages he offers to the public a lately discovered medicine. From the multitude of medical compounds, with descriptions of which the papers in every part of the continent abound, he is aware that, till happy and repeated experience proves the effect of his medicine, his composition will be classed by many among the nostrums of quackery. But, assured of the virtues of this Tincture, he comes forward with a consciousness of doing good, and a confidence of receiving after a fair trial of its properties is made, all the encouragement which it merits. It was a motive of humanity which first prompted the discoverer to try its powers, rather than a prospect of its being lucrative; and, from repeated trials which have been made with it on consumptive patients, it has generally proved successful and uniformly alleviating, and has exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine. The composition has been pronounced in Great Britain by the first medical characters in the kingdom to be the only infallible cure or relief in pulmonary complaints. Patients, who have been in what is called the last stage of a consumption, by the use of a few phials of the medicine, have been restored to pristine health and vigour. To those who have tried every medicine in vain, and who have been at one moment flattered with returning health, and again been disappointed at the next, a trial of its virtues is earnestly recommended. The preparation is perfectly innocent even on the constitution of infants, but it must be taken agreeably to the directions which accompany each phial.

To those who are affected with any disorder of the lungs, the use of it never fails to give relief. To those who have a confirmed Phthisis, as well as to those who have only incipient symptoms, the use of this medicine will give immediate and lasting relief. It is likewise the surest and most effectual remedy in Anæmia, or dropsy, and all other cellular affections.

March 17

## RUSSIA FEATHERS

for 186 and 1810 per lb.

EDWARD HOWE,

UPHOLSTERER.

No. 5, Merchants' Row, Middle Street,

—HAS FOR SALE—

6,000 lbs. Sea Fowl and Russia FEATHERS, at wholesale or retail, for Cash or Country Produce.

Bedding, Chintz and white Fringes—Bedbinding and Taffels—Carpet Binding—green Moroccan for pew cullings—Sofas—ealy and Lolling Chairs—Hair Mattresses—elegant French and American PAPER HANGINGS, with borders, collections of the monuments in Paris. A good assortment of MILITARY GOODS, &c. &c.

Also on consignment from Daggett's Factory a rich and elegant assortment of Gilt and Mahogany framed LOOKING GLASSES, which will be sold as low as at any store in town.

Beds made and filled at a short notice, and the UPHOLSTERY Business carried on as usual in all its branches.

—WANTED—

1000 bushels of good BARLEY, for which Feathers or other Goods will be given at cash prices

(f) Dec 30

## NOAH HARDING,

INFORMS his friends and the public that he has for sale at his Store in Maine Street, near West Market Row,

West India Goods, & Groceries, comprising the greatest assortment ever offered in that part of the town, all of a superior quality—Also a good assortment of

## ENGLISH GOODS.

Likewise a complete assortment of WARRANTED SHOES, together with

American Factory Goods and Factory Yarn.

—ALSO—

70 bushels Herds Grass Seed  
1000 lbs. Clover do.  
50 bushels White Beans  
2 tons Country Flour  
2 do. Cheese—30 boxes Mould Candles  
1000 lbs. Ginger—1000 lbs. Chocolate Shells,  
1 ton Red Wood 2 tons Hollow Ware  
A few Crates assorted Crockery Ware.

—ALSO—

A large and complete assortment of warranted GARDEN SEEDS from the Shakers.

Portland March 17 1818

1mo.

## Cheap Cloths & Cassimers.

JUST received a very large assortment of CLOTHS & CASSIMERES,

FOR SALE BY

Vinton & Cox,

Feb 17 2m Exchange Street



## Nathan & Isaac Winflow,

OFFER for sale at their store at the sign of the Whale, just below the Hay Scales

Winter and Summer strained Spermaceti OIL,

by the cask and retail, of a superior quality, for burning oiling wool, &c. This oil, in a lamp properly trimmed, is warranted to burn until exhausted without fuddling or picking up; is less liable to grease about house safer on account of fire, not subject to waste by being played in a current of air, and by actual experiment proves as cheap as candles at 10 cents per pound. They likewise keep a large assortment of plated brass and japanned LAMPS—pocket, and large Lanterns &c.

N.B. Lamps and Oil furnished on trial, to be returned if not satisfactory. Oil put up in tin canisters from 2 to 8 gallons, and sent gratis to any part of the town.

Also, A general assortment of Groceries, Hollow & Hard Ware, among which are best of German Mill Saws, and best of English Anvils. Vices and Shovels by the dozen or single, an assortment of cotton Factory YARN from the most approved factories.

20 Tons of assorted Russia, Sweden and English IRON.

1000 Lbs. of blistered and Cast STEEL, of a superior quality spike and nail Rods, Plough moulds and Crow bars.

50 boxes Spermaceti CANDLES.

25 bbls superfine fresh Flour

25 boxes 7 by 9 & 8 by 10 window Glass

10 bbls mels and clear PORK

A constant supply of NAILS of every size

100 boxes mould and dip'd Tallow CANDLES.

100 quintals Pollock and Cod FISH

10 hds MOLASSES

A large assortment of Machine and Hand CARDS, from JOHN WINSLOW and Co's. approved factory.

\* The above articles be sold very low for cash or approved credit.

## PROPOSALS

WILL be received by the subscriber, for furnishing for the U. S. Navy, One Thousand Hachmatc Knives, of the following dimensions:

Body 7 feet

Throat 9 to 10 inches

Arm 5 feet 6 inches

deliverable in two months.  
JOHN L. STORER, Navy Agent.  
Portland, Feb. 24th, 1818



## ESSAY No. 13.

On introducing the following receipt for rearing Calves, and the remarks upon its advantages, we would observe we much doubt whether there be any method that will answer the purpose so well as the usual course of letting the calf suck the cow until it is old enough and able to procure its own food.

The experiment however, is worth a trial. Take best English hay, chop and bruise it, put it into a churn or barrel, pour boiling water thereon, in such proportion as that it will be well impregnated with the spirits and virtue of the hay. Never let the calf suck at all; for the first ten days, give a mixture of three quarters of milk, and one quarter hay tea; the next ten days, half milk and half hay tea; all the rest of the time, till the calf is fit to wear, give three quarters hay tea and one quarter of milk.

They say that calves brought up in this way will not be so belled. By this means the natural food of cattle is prepared, by extracting the nutritive virtue and spirit of hay, mixed in a fluid, and so fitted to the tender stomach of such young creatures.

There are many advantages resulting from this method.

First—It is generally allowed that the milk of a good cow, in six months, is equal in value, to her body: the saving two months milk is considerable, or if it were but one month, it is not to be despised.

Second—This way is much better for the cow. Some farmers, who keep a large stock of cattle, always bring up their calves by hand, giving them all the milk; this is done without any such saving, but for the benefit of the cows.

Third—Another advantage is, that the cow will hardly fail of going to bull; there is more less in a cows going farrow, than people ordinarily imagine; it is a great charge to keep cattle winter and summer; an ox pays the charge of keeping with his labour; young cattle in their growth, a fattening beast with his fat and flesh; a breeding cow pays with her calf and milk, but a dry cow pays nothing at all.

Fourth—It may be added also, that this way of bringing up calves, saves the trouble and bawling noise of weaning them. If those farmers who have large stocks, will not be at this trouble, yet one would think, at least that those people who have many children and but one or two cows, would readily fall into this saving way.

## Sun Flower Oil.

It appears from experiments formerly made in this state that a bushel of Sun-flower seed yields a gallon of oil, and that an acre of ground planted with the seed at three feet apart, will yield between forty and fifty bushels of the seed. The oil is as mild as sweet oil, and is equally agreeable to the sick, and as a medicine. It may moreover be used with advantage in paints, varnishes and ointments. From its being manufactured in our country, it may always be procured and used in a fresh state. The oil is pressed from the seed in the same manner that cold drawn linseed oil is obtained from flax seed, and with as little trouble. Sweet oil sells for six shillings a quart. Should the oil of sunflowers sell only for two thirds of that price, the product of an acre of ground supposing it to yield no more than forty bushels of seed, will be \$24, a sum far beyond the product of an acre of ground in any kind of grain. The seed is raised with very little trouble, and grows on land of moderate fertility. It may be gathered and shelled fit for the extraction of the oil, by women and children.—Ms. Agricultural Society Tracts.

Approved by the Governor, February 24, 1818.

Copy examined by A. BRADFORD, Secretary of Commonwealth.

## "AN ACT prescribing the mode of taking depositions, and administering oaths and affirmations."

SEC. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, That whenever any deposition is to be taken before any Justice of the Peace in the cases provided in first and second sections of the act entitled "An Act prescribing the mode of taking depositions, and administering oaths and affirmations," such notice shall first be given to the adverse party, living twenty, or more than twenty miles from the place of deposition as is prescribed by said act, to be given if he shall live within that distance: Provide, nevertheless, That the notification to the adverse party, may be issued by the Justice, before whom the deposition is to be taken, or by any other Justice of the Peace within the Commonwealth, mutatis mutandis, at the election of the party at whose request such deposition is to be taken; and provided further, that notice may be given verbally, by the Justice taking said deposition, or notice may be dispensed with, if the adverse party or his attorney, shall in writing waive the same. And when the adverse party is not present at the taking of such deposition, the Justice taking the same, shall certify that he was duly notified.

SEC. 2. BE it further enacted, That where any deposition shall be taken in perpetual remembrance of a thing, the Justices taking the same, shall certify the names of all persons, whom they notified of the taking thereof.

SEC. 3. BE it further enacted, That this act shall take effect and be in force, on and after the first day of May next; and that on and after that day so much of the act aforesaid, as is repugnant to the provisions of this act, shall be, and hereby is repealed.

Approved by the Governor February 24, 1812.

Copy examined by A. BRADFORD, Secretary of Commonwealth.

The numbers of brick and frame houses erected in Washington city in 1817 was 81.

A General Order has been issued from Washington prohibiting all newspaper or handbill publications relative to transactions of a personal or private nature, among army officers.

In the state of Rhode-Island, there are 31 towns, and 28 banks!

SEC. 2. BE it further enacted, That no person who is committed to prison upon execution for debt, and who shall have obtained the liberty of the yard, upon giving bond for that purpose, shall be chargeable to any town or district, as a pauper, for a longer time than forty-five days after he shall have given bond, as aforesaid. And if the execution creditor, or other person to be notified of the intention of such debtor to take the said oath, shall

reside in the same county, or within fifty miles of said prison, such debtor shall not be so chargeable beyond the space of forty days: Provided nevertheless that no such debtor shall be chargeable to any town or district, for his support, more than four days after he has obtained the liberty of the yard, until he shall make oath before some Justice of the Peace of the same county, that, by reason of his poverty, he is unable to pay for his board, and that he cannot procure employment, within the prison limits whereby he can support himself; or that, by reason of bodily indisposition, he is unable to support himself by labour. And such Justice shall also certify, that he has fully enquired into the truth of the declaration of such prisoner, and believes the same to be true.

SEC. 3. BE it further enacted, That the Overseers of the poor of any town, in which there is a county gaol, are hereby authorized and directed, at their discretion, by their order in writing, to set to work under their own direction, or the direction of any suitable person, any debtor, committed to prison upon mesne process or execution, and actually chargeable to any town or district in this Commonwealth, for his support, whether such prisoner shall have the liberty of the yard, or not. And the order of said Overseers shall remain in force, until they shall revoke the same, or such prisoner shall provide for himself: Provided however, that no prisoner shall be required to labour more than is necessary to pay the expense of his support. And no prisoner shall be chargeable to any town or district as a pauper, while such order of the Overseers respecting him shall remain in force, except for the deficiency of his earnings to pay the expense of his support.

SEC. 4. BE it further enacted, That no person who is committed to gaol on execution or mesne process, and who shall apply to the Overseers of the poor for relief, shall be permitted to have and use any spirituous liquors without the consent of the said Overseers: And if the keeper of any gaol or other person shall give, sell or deliver to any such prisoner, or to any other person for his or their use, any spirituous liquors without the consent in writing of the said Overseers or one of them first had and obtained, shall forfeit and pay for each offence a sum, not less than nor more than ten dollars, to be recovered by complaint to any Justice of the Peace for the same county, one moiety thereof to him who shall prosecute for the same, the other moiety to the use of the poor of the town where the gaol is situated. And it is hereby made the duty of the Sheriff, Gaoler and Overseers of the poor to prosecute for all offences which may come to their knowledge against the provisions of this section.

SEC. 5. BE it further enacted, That the inhabitants of any town or district within this Commonwealth, who have incurred expense for the support of any pauper, whether he was legally chargeable to them by means of his settlement, or not, may recover the same against such person, his executors or administrators, in an action of assumpsit, for money paid, laid out, and expended for his use.